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Dear Sir:

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United States Patent Application No. 09/402,446

Entitled: Intravenous Immune Globulin Formulation Containing a

Non-lonic Surface Active Agent with Improved Pharmacokinetic

**Properties** 

Inventors: Hugh W. Price and B. Michael R. Woloski

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The present letter is filed in response to the office action of July 30, 2002.

Please amend the application as follows:

### In the Claims:

Please amend claims 23, 24, 25, 26, 29 and 38 as follows:

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23. (Amended) comprising:

A method of increasing the serum half-life of an immune globulin

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